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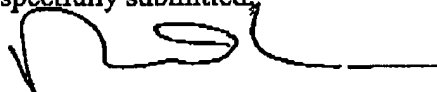
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Official Action mailed September 22, 2005, Applicant elects Group I, namely Claims 1-24 for prosecution in this application. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected claims.

Applicant requests reconsideration by the Examiner and withdrawal of the restriction requirement to the extent that the claims of Group II are restricted from the claims of Group I. Applicant submits that the Examiner has not properly shown two-way distinctness.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those, which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 CFR § 1.136(a), and any fee required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) is hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.

Respectfully submitted,

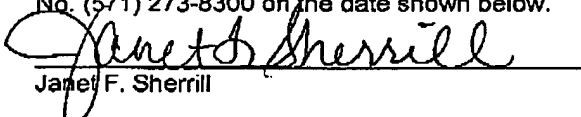


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